



## **H.Res. 785 - Recognizing the 100th Anniversary of Robstown, Texas**

### **FLOOR SITUATION**

H.Res. 785 is being considered on the floor under suspension of the rules and will require a two-thirds majority vote for passage. This legislation was introduced by Representative Solomon Ortiz (D-TX) on October 30, 2007. The bill was referred to the House Oversight and Government Reform Committee, and was ordered to be reported by voice vote.

H.Res. 785 is expected to be considered on the floor on December 11, 2007.

### **SUMMARY**

H.Res. 785 resolves that the House of Representatives recognizes the 100th anniversary of Robstown, Texas, and commends all of the residents of Robstown and all other individuals who call Robstown home.

### **BACKGROUND**

In 2007, the city of Robstown, Texas, will celebrate its centennial as the “Biggest Little Town in Texas.” Before Robstown became a city in Nueces County, it was a major thoroughfare north of the National Mexican Railway, making it vital for trade and commerce between Mexico and the United States.

Some of the more notable residents of Robstown have included legendary National Football League Hall of Famer Gene Upshaw, and Federal Judge Hilda Tagle.

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